

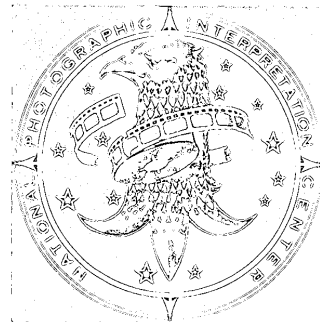
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The "AAA Site Survey, Laos," provides a consolidated listing of all occupied sites observed on the latest aerial photography. New mission inputs will provide information on newly identified sites, which after initial reporting will be carried only when occupied. Previously reported unoccupied sites will be evaluated on a mission-by-mission basis, and reported immediately when first observed to be occupied.

For reporting purposes, AAA defenses are divided into three basic categories: HMGA (50 cal. and 12.7mm), light (ZPU-1, ZPU-2, ZPU-4, 37mm), medium (57mm, 85 mm), and heavy (100mm and larger).

The computer tabulation provides the following information, from left to right, in two or more line entries.

A. FIRST LINE

(1) Installation Number -- A unique installation number containing the standard two letter country designator, a two digit province designator, and a four digit installation designator within the province. The ALPHA E denotes the NPIC report type. A map showing provinces and their designators is included in this report.

(2) Name -- Name of nearest town or village as derived from the AMS map series L509, scale 1:250,000, and abbreviated within the ten space limitation, as appropriate.

(3) Military Zone -- A two letter or Roman Numeral abbreviation of the military district as indicated on the map included in this report.

(4) Coordinates -- Geographic coordinate derived from the AMS map series L509, scale 1:250,000 and/or AMS map series L7012, scale 1:50,000. In case of

multiple sites reported under the same installation number, the coordinate represents the centermost coordinate.

(5) UTM -- UTM coordinate, derived from the AMS series L509, scale 1:250,000 and/or AMS map series L7012, scale 1:50,000, carried to the nearest 100 meters. In case of multiple sites reported under the same installation number, the coordinate represents the centermost coordinate.

(6) Status -- Listed as active or dummy. Only occupied dummy sites will be reported.

B. SECOND LINE

(1) Date -- Date of information (photography) from which the report is derived.

(2) Mission -- Mission Alpha/numeric designator from which the report is derived.

(3) Frame -- Frame number(s) from which the report is derived. The IBM program provides for a maximum of two selected frame numbers. In cases where the installation is imaged on more than two frames, the two best-quality frames are recorded. The alpha designator preceding the frame number denoted the camera position.

(4) Count -- Site, position, and equipment count normally expressed by a single digit in the case of site(s), and no more than two digits in the case of position(s) and equipment.

(5) Site Category -- Site category preceded by degree

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The third and following lines report the number of positions occupied and/or unoccupied; the size of the weapon (light, medium, or heavy); other equipment by count and type (fire control radar, fire director, etc.); and associated vehicles, as appropriate.

When two or more sites are carried under the same installation number, normally they will be reported in their entirety and one will immediately follow the other.

Several abbreviations appearing in the "Equipment Type" column include: PROB. (Probable), POSS. (Possible), LT. (Light), MED. (Medium), HVY. (Heavy), PSN. (Position),

OCC. (Occupied), UNOCC. (Unoccupied), and HMGAA (Heavy Machine Gun Anti-aircraft). Other abbreviations may appear in this column when equipment and/or vehicles are reported and as imposed by report space limitations. In an installation containing more than one site, the "Equipment Type" column will also indicate the number either dismantled or not observed.

Sites are arranged by geographic coordinates in ascending order. Upon request, NPIC can provide additional listings in any of the following sequences: installation number, alphabetic, military district, UTM coordinates, or date of information.

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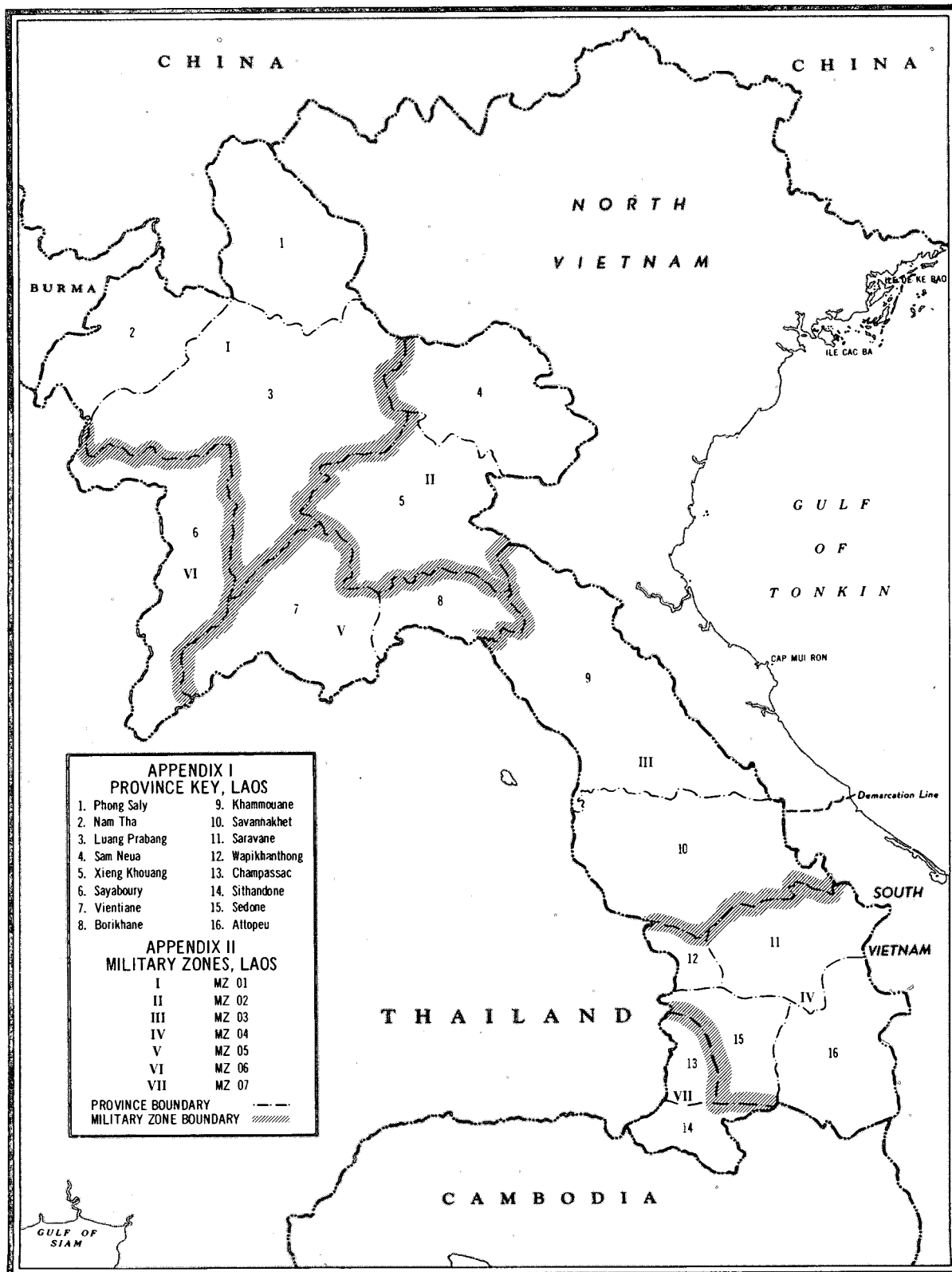
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INSTALLATION NO.	NAME	MZ	COORDINATE	UTM	STATUS	COUNT	EQUIPMENT TYPE
LA100005 E	BANSANOUNE	03	1631N 10539E	WD702275	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA100013 E	BANNATHONG	03	1636N 10547E	WD845356	ACTIVE		
						4	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						1	LT AAA PSN OCC
						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						2	HMGAA SITE
						2	SITE NOT OBSERVED
LA100029 E	TCHEPONE	03	1641N 10612E	XD294459	ACTIVE		
						1	HMGAA SITE
						6	HMGAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA100032 E	TCHEPONE	03	1641N 10612E	XD288460	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						3	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA100033 E	TCHEPONE	03	1641N 10612E	XD298451	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						6	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA100034 E	TCHEPONE	03	1641N 10612E	XD294453	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA100023 E	BANNAHANG	03	1651N 10554E	WD971646	ACTIVE		
						2	HMGAA SITE
						4	HMGAA PSN OCC
25X1D						4	HMGAA PSN OCC

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LA100009 E	BANNANHOM	03	1702N 10544E	WD790845	ACTIVE	2	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
						1	HMGAA SITE
						5	HMGAA PSN OCC
LA090060 E	BANNAMO	03	1706N 10539E	WD695918	ACTIVE	2	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						1	HMGAA SITE
						5	HMGAA PSN OCC
LA090062 E	BANPHANHOP	03	1732N 10544E	WE766402	ACTIVE	2	LT AAA SITE
						7	LT AAA PSN OCC
						1	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
LA090064 E	BANPHANHOP	03	1733N 10543E	WE753417	ACTIVE	4	LT AAA SITE
						8	LT AAA PSN OCC
						8	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
LA090008 E	BANPHANHOP	03	1733N 10544E	WE782410	ACTIVE	6	LT AAA SITE
						8	LT AAA PSN OCC
						16	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
LA090013 F	NAPE	03	1818N 10505E	WF100237	ACTIVE	1	HMGAA SITE
						3	HMGAA PSN POSS OCC
LA050075 E	BANPHOUK	02	1915N 10335E	UG515292	ACTIVE	5	LT AAA SITE
						1	LT AAA PSN OCC
						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
						3	LT AAA PSN OCC
						1	LT AAA PSN UNOCC

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						1	LT AAA PSN OCC
						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						3	LT AAA PSN OCC
LA050077 E	XIENGKHOUA	02	1919N 10322E	UG293382	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
						3	TRUCK
25X1D							
LA050116 E	XIENGKHOUA	02	1920N 10323E	UG294382	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA050033 E	KHANGKHAI	02	1928N 10315E	UG165552	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050123 E	KHANGKHAY	02	1928N 10315E	UG174535	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						3	LT AAA PSN OCC
						1	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050106 E	KANGKHAY	02	1929N 10315E	UG167562	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050016 E	KHANGKHAI	02	1929N 10316E	UG185559	ACTIVE		
						1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA050118 E	KHANGKHAI	02	1929N 10316E	UG177554	ACTIVE		
						1	MED AAA SITE
						4	MED AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							

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LA050064 E	BANDONG	02	1929N 10317E	UG212564	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						3	LT AAA PSN OCC
						1	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050004 E	BANKHANGPH	02	1930N 10351E	UG800580	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050092 E	BANKHANGPH	02	1930N 10351E	UG798581	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						3	LT AAA PSN OCC
						1	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050054 E	BANPHIENLU	02	1931N 10306E	UG004601	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						6	LT AAA PSN POSS OCC
25X1D							
LA050081 E	BANKHANGPH	02	1931N 10350E	UG791583	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						3	LT AAA PSN POSS OCC
25X1D							
LA050060 E	BANKHANGPH	02	1931N 10351E	UG809584	ACTIVE	2	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
						5	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050093 E	BANKHANGPH	02	1931N 10351E	UG797581	ACTIVE	2	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							

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LA050066 E	BANPOUNGNO	02	1933N 10305E	TG989643	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050114 E	BANPOUNGNO	02	1933N 10305E	TG981637	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050115 E	BANPOUNGNO	02	1933N 10305E	TG990634	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						1	LT AAA PSN OCC
						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050003 E	BANKHANGPH	02	1934N 10305E	TG992653	ACTIVE	2	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050113 E	BANKEN	02	1934N 10344E	UG685654	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN POSS OCC
						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050098 E	BANNAMLIAM	02	1934N 10349E	UG769654	ACTIVE	3	LT AAA SITE
						6	LT AAA PSN OCC
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						4	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA050043 E	BANKEN	02	1935N 10340E	UG604661	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						1	LT AAA PSN POSS OCC
						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
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LA050121 E	CHUONGLA	02	1935N 10348E	UG754664	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						3	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
LA050069 E	BANCHUONGL	02	1935N 10349E	UG764664	ACTIVE	3	LT AAA SITE
						7	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D						3	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
						6	LT AAA PSN OCC
LA050122 E	BANCHUONGL	02	1935N 10349E	UG755662	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						4	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
LA050103 E	BANLAD	02	1936N 10327E	UG386692	ACTIVE	2	HMGAA SITE
						4	HMGAA PSN OCC
25X1D						3	HMGAA PSN OCC
LA050120 E	CHUONGLA	02	1936N 10348E	UG758676	ACTIVE	2	HMGAA SITE
						7	HMGAA PSN OCC
25X1D						1	HMGAA PSN UNOCC
LA050119 E	BONCHUONG	02	1936N 10349E	UG760678	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC
LA040013 E	BANPHAO	02	2009N 10352E	UH825295	ACTIVE	1	LT AAA SITE
						2	LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D						2	LT AAA PSN UNOCC

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LA040029 E	BANHOUEIHA	02	2015N 10402E	UH998398	ACTIVE	1 3	LT AAA SITE LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA040040 E	KANGMUONG	02	2019N 10424E	VH379477	ACTIVE	1 4 2	LT AAA SITE LT AAA PSN OCC LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA040038 E	PAHANG	02	2043N 10429E	VH476909	ACTIVE	1 4	LT AAA SITE LT AAA PSN OCC
25X1D							
LA040039 E	PAHANG	02	2043N 10429E	VH468917	ACTIVE	1 2 1	LT AAA SITE LT AAA PSN OCC LT AAA PSN UNOCC
25X1D							
LA010001 E	HATPON	I	2103N 10242E	TJ638298	ACTIVE	1 8	LT AAA SITE POSS LT AAA PSN POSS OC
25X1D							

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